

Express Mail No.: EL 451 596 530 US

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Zentgraf et al.

Application No.: 08/913,139

Group Art Unit: 1644

Filed: February 9, 1998

Examiner: P. Nolan

For:

ANTIBODIES ACTIVE AGAINST A

Attorney Docket No.: 8484-029-999

FUSION POLYPEPTIDE COMPRISING A

HISTIDINE PORTION

## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box AF

Washington, D.C. 20231

COPY

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated January 30, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-3 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- 1. 

  An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for month(s):
  - □ was filed on
  - □ is submitted herewith.
- 2. \( \times \) A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- 3.  $\Box$  A fee in the amount of \$310.00 is:
  - □ Required.
  - □ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
- 4. 

  Applicant has qualified for the 50% reduction in fee for an independent inventor, non profit organization or small business concern and a fee in the amount of \$155.00 is:
  - ⊠ Required.
  - □ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).

04/12/2001 DUTLIAL 0300005 1611

5: 

Please charge the required fee, if any, to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account
No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date March 30, 2001

)

47,763

Nathan A. Machin

(Reg. No.)

For Laura A. Coruzzi (Reg. No. 30,742)

PENNIE & EDMONDS LLP

1155 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10036-2

(212) 790-9090